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November 18, 1982

Re: Grant No. 1553

Thomas P. Stossel, Chairman
Chief, Hematology-Oncology Unit
Massachusetts General Hospital
Professor of Medicine
Harvard Medical School
Boston, MA 02114

Dear Dr. Stossel:

We are pleased to inform you that The Council for Tobacco Research has approved a grant of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) toward support of the Gordon Research Conference on Phagocytes scheduled for July 4-8, 1983 at Proctor Academy, Andover, New Hampshire.

We understand that these funds will be used for partial reimbursement of travel expenses and conference fees of invited participants and conference chairmen. No part is to be used for support of conference participants from private industry.

A statement of The Council's general policy with respect to support of conferences is appended.

Our check # 21681 dated November 19, 1982 in the amount mentioned is enclosed herewith.

Cordially,

R. J. Gertenbach

Robert F. Gertenbach

cc: Alexander M. Cruickshank
Director, Gordon Research Conferences

bcc: AUDITOR, LP, RO'K, FILE
ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS

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POLICY:

Because of the broad scope of its scientific interests, The Council has innumerable opportunities to help support interesting and meritorious congresses and symposia. However, we understand our primary mission to be support of laboratory and clinical research along certain specific lines. Hence Council policy sharply restricts contributions for meetings and conferences to the very special cases where there is exceptionally high relevance to our present high priority undertakings, particularly conferences that bring together several of our current grantees.

This policy seems to us consistent with The Council's status as a tax-exempt corporation and with its basic commission.

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